

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY EMERGENCY RESPONSE BRANCH 9311 GROH ROAD GROSSE ILE, MICHIGAN 48138

REPLY TO ATTENTION OF: Brian Kelly

January 18, 2012

Ed Pulido Ohio EPA 347 North Dunbridge Road Bowling Green, Ohio 43402

Dear Mr. Pulido:

This letter requests the Ohio EPA identify all Applicable, Relevant, and Appropriate Requirements (ARARs) for a proposed removal action at the S & K Hand Tools site (site) located at 135 Hickory Street, Defiance, Ohio 43512. Specific site ARARs identified in a timely manner for this removal action will be complied with to the extent practicable.

The United States Environmental Protection Agency is considering funding or entering into agreement with a potentially responsible party to fund a time-critical removal action to mitigate the potentially imminent and substantial threat to public health, welfare, and the environment posed by the presence of corrosive, reactive, and toxic wastes. On approval of an action memorandum, the removal action will secure, sample, and off-site dispose of these wastes. Federal ARARs for this site primarily include 40 CFR 300.415(b)(2), 40 CFR Part 260, and 40 CFR 300.440.

If you have any questions regarding this request or require more detailed information, please call me at (734) 692-7684.

Sincerely,

Brian Kelly U.S. EPA, OSC

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cc: J Gulch, U.S. EPA